

WOLF IS KILLED IN LUNENBURG

Hunt of Week Ends in Death of
Animal Which Alarmed
Many People.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Lawrenceville, Va., April 3.—News comes from the adjacent County of Lunenburg of a lively wolf hunt, which terminated successfully. For about three years negroes have been stating that a wolf had been visiting the country at night, but the reports were thought to be products of superstitions. On a recent Sunday, as services were being closed at the Oakland Christian Church, the congregation was alarmed to see a large animal of the wolf family dash across an open space near the church.

Hunting parties scoured the country for about a week, when one of the hunters wounded the wolf badly. In his wounded condition, the animal led the party an eight-mile chase to White's Mill on the Meherrin River, where it tried to cross on the ice. As the river was not frozen completely over, the wounded wolf attempted to return to the shore, but was shot down on the ice. The body broke through the thin ice and was not found for more than a week, when a trapper discovered it several miles below the place where it was killed.

The animal was larger than a shepherd dog, and furnished an excellent pet.

MRS. SWIFT GETS DIVORCE

New York Stock Broker Agrees to Pay
General Allowance.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
New York, April 3.—Florence Fowble Swift, a former society belle in Baltimore and Washington, was granted a decree of divorce yesterday from Harry Wilson Swift.

Mrs. Swift named a woman who is well-known in Chicago society circles. The testimony showed that Swift accompanied this woman, whose name was not mentioned at the trial, to the Vanderbilt Hotel and the Great Northern Hotel, in this city.

Swift is a stock broker. He was also interested in "The Dream Maiden," now on a Western tour. It was during a return trip from Europe that he is said to have met the "other woman" in the case. As soon as Mrs. Swift heard of her rival's fondness for her husband, she retained Attorney William Hayes to serve her husband with a divorce complaint.

In August, 1908, Miss Fowble, then only eighteen years of age, went for an automobile ride with Swift. The automobile carried them to the Episcopal Church in New York City, Cape Cod. They were married and announced the wedding as soon as they returned to their friends. Immediately they left in the same automobile for a honeymoon in the White Mountains.

Swift did not interpose a defense to the divorce suit. It is said he has agreed to pay Mrs. Swift a generous annual allowance.

POSTMASTERS FOR VIRGINIA CITIES

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, April 3.—The Post-Office Department to-day appointed the following Virginia postmasters:

Max Meadows, Wythe County, Joseph E. McCarroll, Southampton County, Powhatan A. Cabell, Micklesville, Scott County, Hugh J. Baker, Olinier, Lee County, Mrs. Ida Leason, Mountain, Lancaster County, John Curlett, Penn Laird, Rockingham County, Robert Hooke, Rockwell, Madison County, George W. Wayland, Stratford, Westmoreland County, Carrie E. Helms, Toms Brook, Shenandoah County, Otis J. Borden, Yorktown, York County, Margaret P. C. Smith.

The following rural delivery routes have been ordered established in Virginia, June 1:

Lanostburg, Carroll County, route 1, length, seventeen miles; families, eighty.

Lanexa, New Kent County, route 1, length, eighteen miles; families, ninety.

Woodford, Caroline County, route 1, length, twenty-three miles; families, 115.

Ararat, Patrick County, route 2, length, twenty-one miles; serving 160 families.

Ben, Allegheny County, route 1, length, twenty-four miles; serving 120 families.

Cullen, Charlotte County, route 1, length, eighteen miles; serving 106 families.

Greenfield, Nelson County, route 1, length, fifteen miles; serving sixty-five families.

Manakin, Goochland County, route 1, length, sixteen miles; serving 100 families.

Stuart, Patrick County, route 5, length, twenty-five miles; serving 125 families.

Trone, Frederick County, route 1, length, thirteen miles; serving eighty families.

Woodridge, Albemarle County, route 1, length, twenty-two miles; serving 100 families. G. H. M.

GOOLRICK WISHES TO GO TO SENATE

Fredericksburg Man Will Make
Race for Seat Vacated
by Moncure.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Fredericksburg, Va., April 3.—The appointment of State Senator E. C. L. Moncure to the position of United States collector of internal revenue for the Eastern District of Virginia, will leave a vacancy in the State Senate, as Mr. Moncure will resign as soon as his nomination by the President is confirmed, which, it is expected, will be in a few days. The election to fill this vacancy in the State Senate will be held some time this year, as the Legislature will meet in extra session to consider the tax problem. C. O'Connor, Goolrick, of Fredericksburg, a former prominent member of the House of Delegates, will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination, and his friends are active in his support. Mr. Goolrick is a prominent attorney of this city, and has been active in public affairs for a number of years.

The Board of Supervisors of Spotsylvania County has appropriated \$200 towards contributing a farm demonstrator for that county. The remainder of the amount for the salary of the demonstrator will be put up by the State and by the United States government, and Fredericksburg has already made an appropriation for the same purpose. Professor K. C. Moore, of the State Normal School, is at present the farm demonstrator, and the normal school is co-operating in the work.

Bankers Congratulate The Times-Dispatch

THE AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

Times-Dispatch, city:

Gentlemen,—When we undertook this fight to secure a Regional Reserve Bank for Richmond we did it with the profound conviction that Richmond was the natural and logical location for a bank for the Southeastern section of the United States.

The wonderful edition which you have so promptly put out will convince the whole world that Richmond secured this bank on merit, and you deserve the heartiest congratulations and sincerest thanks of our whole community.

Yours very truly,

OLIVER J. SANDS,
President American National Bank.

DAVENPORT & CO.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch, Richmond, Va.:

Dear Sirs,—We beg to congratulate the management of The Times-Dispatch on the very interesting and, at the same time, very accurate account, this morning, of Richmond's fight for the Regional Bank, and of the splendid work done by the committee having the matter in hand. The enterprise shown by your paper is, and should be, a very valuable asset to this city.

Very truly yours,

DAVENPORT & CO.

SCOTT & STRINGFELLOW.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch, city:

Dear Sirs,—Accept our congratulations on the great issue of The Times-Dispatch this morning celebrating the "capture" of a Federal Reserve Bank for Richmond. It is creditable not only to you, but also to Richmond, which hereafter is to be looked upon as a financial centre of this American republic. We are sending out to our correspondents copies of your paper, so that they may better know of our resources and enterprise.

Yours very truly,

SCOTT & STRINGFELLOW.

COMMITTEE ON LOCATING FEDERAL RESERVE BANK IN RICHMOND.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch, city:

Gentlemen,—It gives me real pleasure to express to you this committee's appreciation of the effective, discreet and intelligent work done by your paper. At an early stage of the fight we realized that we could deal with your representatives frankly and confidentially, and in no case were we given reason to regret having so bestowed our confidence.

Again thanking you for the great assistance your paper gave the committee, I am,

Yours very cordially,

GEO. C. GREGORY, Ex. Secretary.

THE BANK OF COMMERCE AND TRUSTS.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch Co., Richmond, Va.:

Gentlemen,—We want to congratulate you upon the enterprise shown by the issue of your paper this morning.

Richmond is to be congratulated, and the public is indebted to you for the active part you have taken in securing the Federal Reserve Bank, and the wide publicity given to the fact this day through your paper.

Yours very truly,

JOHN T. WILSON, President.

VIRGINIA TRUST COMPANY.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch, city:

Gentlemen,—Allow me to congratulate you upon the magnificent edition of your paper this morning. It was an inspiration to read it.

Very truly yours,

H. W. JACKSON,
Pres. Virginia Trust Co.

RICHMOND TRUST AND SAVINGS CO.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch, city:

Gentlemen,—The edition of The Times-Dispatch of to-day in interest and value to city and State is exceedingly creditable to all concerned in its production.

Yours very truly,

CHAS. J. ANDERSON,
Vice-Pres. Richmond Trust and Savings Co.

JOHN L. WILLIAMS & SONS.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch Co., Richmond, Va.:

Gentlemen,—Please accept our congratulations on your magnificent edition published to-day. It is a credit to the State and to your entire organization, as it exhibits most marked and up-to-date newspaper enterprise and intelligence.

High-class journalism is absolutely necessary to the proper development of any community or district, and you are holding up your end of the line in good shape.

Yours very truly,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS & SONS.

MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF RICHMOND.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch Co., Richmond, Va.:

Dear Sirs,—We wish to compliment you most highly on your publication this morning. It certainly showed the effect of progressive journalism, and we were pleased to see the good news of the designation of Richmond as a Reserve Bank centre displayed by your paper in such an attractive manner.

Your paper is to be congratulated upon a staff which has shown such interest in a proposition meaning so much to this section.

Yours very truly,

GEO. H. KEESEE,
Ass't Cashier.

THE PLANTERS NATIONAL BANK.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch Co., Richmond, Va.:

Dear Sirs,—We wish to congratulate you on the splendid financial edition of your paper issued this morning. It was a distinct credit not only to the enterprise and progressiveness of your management, but to the city at large.

Yours very truly,

R. LATIMER GORDON,
Assistant Cashier.

THE SAVINGS BANK OF RICHMOND.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch, city:

Gentlemen,—I want to congratulate you upon the superb paper published this morning giving all the details concerning the Federal Reserve Bank, to be located in this city. While Richmond deserved to win by reason of its strategic position, yet it also deserved to win because of the enterprise of its newspapers, of which no better evidence could be produced than the issue of this day. The staff of The Times-Dispatch deserves the highest commendation for getting up such a paper.

Yours truly,

L. Z. MORRIS, President.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RICHMOND, VA.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch Co., Richmond, Va.:

Dear Sirs,—Your issue of this morning covered the Reserve Bank situation in a most thorough and creditable manner, and the people of Virginia and the surrounding States owe you a debt of gratitude for the good work. Without the assistance of the Richmond press the efforts of the Reserve Bank Committee and those interested in obtaining for Richmond one of the Reserve Banks would have been without avail.

The co-operative spirit displayed by the citizenship of Richmond, with the hearty and active support of the surrounding States, has brought about the good results, and is a living evidence of great things for this section in future years.

Very truly yours,

JOHN M. MILLER, Jr.,
Vice-President.

THOMAS BRANCH & CO.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch Co., Richmond, Va.:

Dear Sirs,—We beg to express our opinion concerning your issue of this morning containing the Regional Bank news. We take pleasure in saying that we think the issue was gotten up in a most admirable manner and does credit to both the paper and the city.

Yours truly,

THOS. BRANCH & CO.

NATIONAL STATE AND CITY BANK.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

Times-Dispatch Company, city:

Gentlemen,—Please accept our thanks for your co-operation in the effort made for the establishment of the Regional Bank in Richmond, and for the full report in your issue of this morning of the various steps taken, and the credit you give our friends in other States, who aided so effectively in bringing about a result of the first importance to our city and State.

Very respectfully,

JULIEN H. HILL, Cashier.

THE CHURCH HILL BANK.

Richmond, Va., April 3, 1914.

The Times-Dispatch, Richmond, Va.:

Dear Sirs,—We desire to extend to you our most hearty congratulations upon the edition published this morning, welcoming to our city one of the Regional Reserve Banks of the United States. The financial section was a fine tribute to Richmond, and was well arranged. Your paper deserves the thanks of our whole city for its co-operation in securing the Reserve Bank for Richmond.

You have brought Richmond to the attention of our whole country by your admirable efforts, and much credit is due to our Times-Dispatch for this honor being conferred upon Richmond.

Respectfully yours,

O. E. PARRISH, President.

CASPER TO PREPARE FOR VISIT OF QUEEN

After Exciting Race Across
Europe, Leaves for United
States to Arrange Details.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]
London, April 3.—The story of an exciting race across Europe, wherein special trains and steamers played a part, was told to-day by William Casper, who sailed on the Hamburg-American liner Imperator, to arrange the plans in connection with Queen Elena's visit to America. Casper, who is an American resident of Sofia, left the Bulgarian capital on Saturday afternoon by the Orient express, which runs direct from Constantinople to Paris, and which should have landed its passengers in London on Monday morning. All went well until Nische, the old capital of Servia, was reached at 7 o'clock Saturday evening. There the train came to a standstill, and, after a wait of several hours, the passengers were informed that a large valley between Nische and Belgrade, twelve miles in extent, was flooded, and the rails were completely washed away. Furthermore, it would take three weeks to restore the tracks. The officials lost their heads, and after keeping the train waiting all night, during which the passengers were obliged to remain locked up, the train was ordered back to Sofia the next morning, where it arrived on Sunday afternoon.

A special train left Sofia on Sunday evening and arrived at Rusechuk, a frontier town on the Danube, on Monday at noon. In the meantime, the Roumanian minister also telegraphed his government asking to have a special steamer waiting at Rusechuk to take Casper across the Danube. This was done, and when Glurgiu was reached another special train was waiting to convey him to Bucharest, the Roumanian capital, which was reached late on Monday night.

There, by the courtesy of the American minister, Mr. Vopicka, who happened to be in Sofia and had telegraphed instructions ahead, a powerful automobile was waiting Casper at the station, which rushed him across town to a second station, where the Vienna express was caught just in the nick of time, landing Casper in London last night, a few hours before the Imperator sailed.

Casper denies strenuously the stories of Vopicka's alleged duplicity. He said the Chicago minister would be in universal esteem throughout the Balkans, especially so by the King and Queen of Bulgaria.

[His Home Destroyed.]
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Buckingham, Va., April 3.—The dwelling house of Eddie McCraw was burned yesterday evening. Mr. McCraw lost practically all of the contents of his home. There was \$1,000 insurance on the building. It is not known how the fire originated. Mr. McCraw was working in a field near the house when the fire started. Mr. McCraw is a son of W. E. McCraw, who was at one time deputy internal revenue collector in this district, and later was postmaster at Andersonville.

WINSTON-SALEM TO VOTE ON BIG ISSUE OF BONDS

Winston-Salem, N. C., April 3.—Winston-Salem may have an important light and heating plant. The Board of Aldermen to-night called an election to vote on the issue of \$250,000 bonds. Of this amount \$250,000 is for a municipal lighting and heating plant. While a proposed bond issue has been much discussed, the action of the board came as a surprise to the city, which did not expect such early action. The bonds would be used for a sewerage disposal plant, \$50,000 for improvements of the water works and extension of water mains, \$50,000 for curbing and grading streets, and \$250,000 to liquidate the floating debt. The election will be held on June 23. The bonds are for thirty years, of \$1,000 denomination, bearing 5 per cent interest.

[Milton Calder Honored.]
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Wilmington, N. C., April 3.—At a meeting here to-day of the directors of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Company, Milton Calder, a well-known young financier of Wilmington, was elected president to succeed Charles N. Evans, one of the best known bankers in the South, who resigned to accept a position as assistant to the president of the Equitable Mortgage and Trust Company, of Baltimore.

The Weather

Forecast: Virginia—Fair, continued cool Saturday; Sunday fair, slightly warmer.

North Carolina—Fair Saturday and Sunday.

Special Local Data for Yesterday.
12 noon temperature..... 55
3 P. M. temperature..... 59
Maximum temperature up to 8..... 60
Minimum temperature up to 8..... 41
P. M. temperature..... 41
Mean temperature..... 50
Normal temperature..... 53
Deficiency in temperature since March 1..... 153
Accumulated deficiency in temperature since January 1..... 173
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1..... 35
Accumulated excess in rainfall since January 1..... 45

Local Observation 8 P. M. Yesterday.
Temperature..... 48
Humidity..... 48
Wind-direction..... N.
Wind-velocity..... 16
Weather..... P. cloudy
Rainfall..... 0

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.
(At 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.)

Place	Ther.	H. T.	L. T.	Weather
Albany	58	56	46	Clear
Atlanta	58	56	46	Clear
Baltimore	58	56	46	Clear
Boston	58	56	46	Clear
Buffalo	58	56	46	Clear
Calgary	40	41	28	P. cloudy
Charleston	60	66	38	Clear
Chicago	50	50	36	Clear
Denver	44	46	36	Clear
Duluth	50	50	36	Cloudy
Galveston	66	70	66	Cloudy
Hatteras	50	64	50	Clear
Hayes	66	66	56	Cloudy
Jacksonville	66	66	56	Cloudy
Kansas City	58	42	38	Cloudy
Louisville	42	48	40	Clear
Montgomery	66	70	66	Cloudy
New Orleans	68	74	60	Cloudy
New York	32	46	32	Clear
Norfolk	48	50	40	Clear
Oklahoma	48	48	40	Cloudy
Pittsburgh	32	36	32	Clear
Raleigh	48	50	40	Clear
St. Louis	41	48	40	Clear
St. Paul	34	34	28	Cloudy
San Francisco	62	68	54	Cloudy
Savannah	62	70	60	P. cloudy
Spokane	62	62	42	P. cloudy
Tampa	72	82	68	Cloudy
Washington	40	50	40	Clear
Winnipeg	28	32	22	P. cloudy
Wynneville	42	52	42	Clear

MINIATURE ALMANAC.
April 4, 1914.

Sun rises.....5:52
Sun sets.....4:31
Morning.....11:14
Evening.....12:03